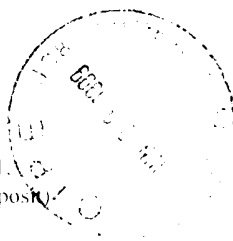


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PETITION FOR AN EXTENSION OF TIME

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

This is a petition to extend the time for filing a Response to the Notice to Comply For Patent Application Containing Nucleotide Sequence and or Amino Acid Sequence Disclosures dated March 17, 1999 in the above-identified patent application.

The above-captioned application has been examined and has not yet been granted.

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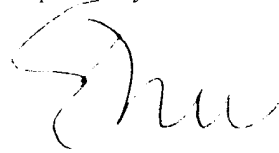
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Respectfully submitted,



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